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WERE MARRIED 50 YEARS AGO

MR. AND MRS. MATTESON CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

A REUNION AT HULL'S

Are Well-Known Pioneers Of Worth County.—Home Is Now In Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Birdsey Matteson, 302 South Fillmore, are today observing their golden wedding anniversary with a family reunion at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. Matteson are well-known pioneer residents of Worth County. They were married March 23, 1876 at the home of Mrs. Matteson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Speir, five miles west of Grant City, and went immediately to housekeeping on a farm in the same neighborhood. They lived in Grant City and vicinity from the time of their marriage until three years ago when they moved to Maryville.

Mr. Matteson was born in Wayne County, Ohio, June 30, 1855, and came to Missouri with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Matteson when 13 years of age, the family locating in Worth County. Mr. Matteson bought and sold cattle for a number of years and also farmed. In 1886 he was elected sheriff of Worth County and served for two terms. He also served as county collector in 1892-94, and for several years previous to coming to Maryville, was deputy sheriff of Worth County.

Mrs. Matteson was born April 30, 1857 in Worth County and with the exception of three years had lived there until three years ago. They are the parents of the following children. Mrs. J. F. Hull, Maryville; the Rev. E. E. Matteson, evangelist, of Wheaton, Illinois; Mrs. R. L. Paris and Mrs. J. E. Robertson, Artesia, New Mexico; Dr. J. S. Matteson, Parnell; and E. S. Matteson, county agent of Monroe County, Paris, Mo.

The following guests, present at the reunion today, were also present at the wedding fifty years ago. Mrs. Flora C. Houser, Mrs. Howard Wright, Grant City, sisters of Mrs. Matteson; Misses Retta and Rosa Matteson, Grant City, sisters of Mr. Matteson.

Settlements Made by Curator Protested

Cecil Hayes, Now 21, Charges Estate Has Been Mismanaged and Asks $613.85, With Interest.

Cecil Hayes, of Burlington Junction, who has recently reached his 21st year, has filed objections to the final settlement and also previous settlements of his curator, Dr. Amos T. Fisher of Lakewood, Ohio, a former resident of Maryville. A hearing is being held today before Judge Jesse F. Robertson, probate judge, Dr. Fisher, the curator, being represented by L. C. Cook and C. E. Stilwell, and Hayes by Judge J. H. Sayler and A. F. Harvey.

In his objections to the settlements of his curator, Hayes states that the curator on Nov. 14, 1916, had in his hands $613.85 in cash belonging to the estate and that the money was unlawfully invested in what purported to be loans on real estate that at the time and now are worthless, for the purpose of enabling the curator to speculate for his own personal profit with the funds belonging to the estate.

Hayes also alleges that the curator, in addition to expenses amounting to $250, has "reaped out of said transactions profits for himself which will exceed $1,000, obtained by rentals, payments on second mortgages, alleged improvements, fees, charges and from other wrongful sources."

Hayes asks that all settlements made since Nov. 14, 1916, be disallowed and that judgment be given in his favor against the curator and his bondsmen for $613.85 at 8 per cent interest compounded annually from Nov. 14, 1916, to the present time.

More Land in Nodaway County Changes Hands

Judd Curnutt yesterday sold to Harry Dalby of Hopkins seven acres of land in Burlington Junction. The consideration was $9.000.

Mr. Dalby sold his 100-acre farm, nine miles southwest of Maryville, to Mr. Curnutt. The consideration was $160 per acre. Both deals were made by A. J. Cox.

Smith Funeral Held Here This Afternoon

Body Arrives From Kansas City At Noon—The Rev. R. E. Musgrave In Charge Of Services.

The body of J. Woodson Smith, pioneer dry goods merchant of Maryville, who died at his home in Kansas City Sunday afternoon, arrived here at noon today. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Price Funeral Chapel conducted by the Rev. R. E. Musgrave, pastor of the Christian Church. Mrs. Ralph Eversole sang several selections.

Burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery. The active pallbearers included F. G. Shoemaker, E. W. Keck, J. B. Robinson, sr., J. F. Colby, G. B. Roseberry and Dr. C. T. Bell.

Among the out-of-town relatives who were here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. George M. Spurlock of York, Neb., Mrs. Leon Smith, Miss Penelope Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith, jr., Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith, Mrs. John B. Pew and Mrs. Clyde A. Dodge, all of Kansas City; and Mrs. Annie Wehrman of St. Joseph.

SAYS TARIFF LAW IS BAD

"GIVES COMMISSION TOO MUCH POWER"

INVESTIGATION IS ON

Thrills Expected When Senate Committee Questions Charges That Coolidge Tried to Influence

Washington, March 23.—The flexible provision of the present tariff law, under which the President has power to raise or lower duties by 50 per cent, was criticized today by F. W. Taussig, first chairman of the tariff commission.

Taussig was the first witness called in the Senate committee's investigation of the tariff commission. He declared the flexible provision gave the commission too much power. He endorsed the bi-partisan organization of the commission, with Republicans and Democrats equally represented.

Washington, March 23—Throwing a political shadow across the fast approaching November election, the Senate's special tariff committee met today to begin its investigation of the United States tariff commission.

The first witness summoned was F. W. Taussig, first chairman of the commission and an appointee of the late President Wilson. Taussig was called to explain how the commission operated in its early days.

Although no fireworks were anticipated at the opening session, plenty of thrills will be accorded spectators later on when the committee delves into charges that President Coolidge attempted to influence decisions of the committee.

The investigating committee comprises Senator Robinson, Democrat of Arkansas, Democratic floor leader, chairman, Senator Wadsworth, Democrat of New York, Senator Reed, Republican of Pennsylvania, Senator Bruce, Democrat of Maryland, and Senator La Follette, Republican of Wisconsin.

Mrs. Wright Attends Meeting at Skidmore

Mrs. H. E. Wright went to Skidmore this morning to attend the annual district meeting of woman's home missionary societies of the Methodist Episcopal church, to be held today and tomorrow. Mrs. Wright is a delegate from the society of the First Methodist Church. Several other local members expect to attend tomorrow's session.

Mrs. Charles Clayton of Savannah, president of the district, is presiding at the meeting. Among others who will attend are Mrs. S. H. Justice, president of the conference; Mrs. Guy Walrod, secretary of young people's work of the conference; Miss Abbie Benedict of the training school of Kansas City, and Mrs. Cora Downs Stevens of Canaan, Conn., national field secretary of woman's home missionary societies.

Teachers in Reading Experiment to Meet

The ten rural school teachers who have been assisting Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent, in a series of reading experiments, will hold the last of their meetings at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

CLARKS WED FIFTY YEARS

PRATHER AVENUE COUPLE OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

LIVES SPENT ON FARM

Rigid Economy and "Looking to Future" Are Recommended for Newlyweds of Present Day

Entertaining about twenty relatives and friends at dinner and receiving others during the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. James Albert Clark, 514 Prather avenue, yesterday celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark were married near Skidmore on March 22, 1876. They have been residents of Nodaway County ever since. Mr. Clark is 76 years old and Mrs. Clark is 68. Both are unusually vigorous for their ages, and their faculties are unimproved.

Mr. Clark was born in Mason County, Kentucky, on September 3, 1849, but he came to Missouri with his parents and a younger sister in 1854, arriving in northern Holt County on November 1. The trip was made overland in a covered wagon.

Parents Settled Permanently.

The elder Clark had learned the tanner's trade, but did not practice it after coming to Missouri. In 1860 he settled permanently in what was then the southern part of Nodaway County, and there he and his wife lived until they died. Some years after he selected his permanent residence, the Nodaway-Holt County line was changed and the farm was thrown into Holt County. It was about two miles south of Skidmore.

It was here that the young Clark spent most of his boyhood. He attended the rude rural school provided in those days, sitting upon split logs in a schoolhouse built of logs. This was a "subscription" school, as there was no organized public school district. The school terms averaged three months a year and the graduate had the equivalent of a fourth grade education of the present.

Young Clark also attended for a time a "select school" at Oregon, where a few courses of the modern high school were taught.

Mrs. Clark was Miss Zelda Emaline Brown, and she was born on her father's farm near Graham on December 4, 1857. She lived with her parents in Nodaway County until the close of the Civil War, when her father, returning from service with the Confederate Army, found his old neighborhood so torn with strife and bitterness that he found it best to remove his family to Nebraska. He returned after two years and settled near Skidmore.

Set Out for Himself.

Meanwhile young James Albert had been helping his father on the farm, it being the custom in those days for all youths to give their services until they were 21. At 21 he set forth for himself, working for others for two or three years and then renting a farm about three-fourths of a mile east of his father's.

The young farmer had met Miss Brown at her father's home. Courting then was "different," according to both Mr. and Mrs. Clark, adding "Couples really fell in love." They were married at the home of William Smith, a neighbor, father of John Smith, who lives on South Market street in this city.

The young couple began housekeeping in the small one-room box which served for a home on the farm which the bridegroom had rented. After a year they rented another farm, about one and one-half miles northwest of Quitman. They stayed there two years and then moved to a farm one and one-half miles south of Skidmore, where they remained for five years.

In the meantime, Mr. Clark bought a forty-acre farm about one and three-fourth miles southwest of Skidmore, a former employer selling it to him without requiring a cash payment.

Farming Not Easy Then.

"Let me tell you something about farming in those days, and you can see that the money didn't mount up very fast," said Mr. Clark. "Hogs were 2 cents a pound and corn was 15 cents sometimes 12. It kept my wife and me busy to make an honest and a very common living. But she was as faithful as a wife could be. She stuck by me through thick and thin. We have lived close and done the best we could do. We've never got rich, but we have accumulated a little."

Mr. and Mrs. Clark paid $22.50 an acre for their first farm. They kept it

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House Passes Senate Bank Taxation Bill

Progressives Oppose Confirmation of Woodlock as Member Commerce Commission on Three Counts.

Washington, March 23.—Without a record vote, the House today passed the senate bill legalizing taxation by states of national banks. To speed action, the House agreed to accept the Senate's bill in place of a similar one by Representative McFadden, Republican of Pennsylvania, which had been approved by the banking committee.

Washington, March 23.—The progressives' fight against the confirmation of Thomas F. Woodlock of New York, as a member of the interstate commerce commission, was being waged behind locked doors in the Senate this afternoon.

Under a previous agreement, the nomination was to be considered in executive session at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The progressives' opposition was based on three points: First, that although Woodlock was appointed as a Democrat, he had voted the Republican ticket for five years; second, that he of railroads, and, third, he was appointwas opposed to government regulation ed while director of two railroads, the Pere Marquette and Frisco systems, in violation of the law.

ARMY OFFICER FACES TRIAL

COURT MARTIAL ORDERED FOR COLONEL WILLIAMS

CAUSES NO SURPRISE

Only Way Out for Secretary Wilbur, it is Believed Following Butler's Activities on Pacific Coast

Washington, March 23.—The court martial of Col. Alexander Williams, United States marine corps, stationed at San Diego, was ordered today by Secretary of Navy Wilbur, as an outgrowth of charges filed against that officer by Brig.-Gen. Smedley D. Butler.

General Butler returned charges of drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer against Colonel Williams following a dinner which the accused officer had tendered to General Butler upon the latter's assuming command of the marine base at San Diego.

Secretary Wilbur would make no comment on the case other than to say that the trial judge-advocate of the navy had recommended the trial upon the basis of Butler's report and that he had approved the recommendations of the judge-advocate.

San Diego, March 23—Ordering of the court martial of Col. Alexander Williams on charges which grew out of a dinner given to General Smedley Butler and a party later in the evening when the extra-dry general placed his host and inferior officer under technical arrest for drinking cocktails was not unexpected here.

High naval officers said that the nature of the charges left no way out for Secretary of Navy Wilbur.

Should the procedure follow precedent, Secretary Wilbur will ask Admiral Ashley Robertson, commandent of the eleventh naval district here, to recommend the personnel of a court martial body. The Secretary will then announce the officers to comprise the court and the date of its meeting.

Colonel Williams is expected to be tried at San Diego. General Butler, who is recovering from the effects of the extraction of an infected tooth, will be the star witness for the prosecution.

Jokes and Readings at 2 Literary Societies

The Zeta Sigma Literary Society of the Maryville High School, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Virgil Rathbun, met this morning and a program of jokes and readings was given by the members.

The program was:

Reading—Katie Leet.
Jokes—Zella Colwell.
Reading—Ruth Hammond.
Reading—Doris Wallace.
Reading—Lethyl Stark.
Jokes—Zola Colwell.

The Victorian Literary Society, sponsored by Mrs. Vern Manley, at their meeting, was entertained by a program of readings of varied character, they being given by Isabel Hamlin, Helen Davis, Margaret Carlson, Neva Wilkerson and Mary Alice Jones.

SOUTH DAKOTA HAS PRIMARY

PRINCIPAL ISSUES LOCAL IN TODAY'S CONTEST.

CAMPAIGN BITTER ONE

Terminates Lengthy And Intricate Process Of Selecting Party Candidates Under Richards System.

Pierre, S. D., March 23.—The voters of South Dakota, went to the polls today to select candidates for state and congressional posts at the general election in November.

It is the first of the countrys spring primary elections and terminates the lengthy and intricate process of selecting party candidates under the Richards primary law, probably the worlds most involved electorial system. It also brings to an end one of the most bitter campaigns in South Dakota history.

The contest between Senator Peter Norbeck, Redfield, and George W. Danforth, Sioux Falls, for the seat in the United States Senate now occupied by Norbeck, has forced other phases of the voting into the background.

The trial and conviction of A. W. Ewert, treasurer of the State Rural Credits board during Norbeck's gubernatorial administration, for embezzlement of $211,000 in public funds, provided most of the campaign material.

Danforth stumped the state charging Norbeck with culpability for his appointee's misconduct. He told the electorate Norbeck left behind him in South Dakota following his state administration "a trail of wrecked banks, deficits and shortages in state funds."

Norbeck protested innocence of Ewert's conduct of credits board finances. He reminded voters that Danforth as a member of the state legislature was chairman of an investigating committee that probed affairs of the board and found them in good order. This, Norbeck said, made his opponent as much to blame as he.

The all-importance of the credits boards issue has destroyed much of the significance todays vote might have had as an indication of the national trend. With Norbeck a senatorial insurgent and Danforth an avowed Coolidge Republican the outcome might have been accepted as a test of Coolidge strength in the agricultural northwest but for eclipse of national issues by state politics.

Secondary contests in the primary are the Democrat and Republican gubernatorial races. Three parties will have tickets in the field at the general election—Republican, Democrat and Farmer-Labor—but only two are holding primaries since no third party candidate is opposed.

The fight between Governor Carl Gunderson and Clarence B. Coyne, present secretary of state, to win the Republican nomination for governor is somewhat related to the senatorial race. Gunderson ousted Ewart from office and demanded an accounting of Rural Credits board funds.

The principal issues, however, are Gundersons policy of consolidating state departments and acceptance of defunct state bank liabilities by the state. More than 200 banks failed in South Dakota in the four years ending with 1925. A bank guaranty act is on the statute books but wholesale failures left the guaranty fund some $45,000,000 in arrears.

There is no means of paying depositors caught in the crash except acceptance by the state of its "moral obligation" to make good the losses not covered by assets from liquidation of the banks. Coyne has come out for state assumption of the debts. Gunderson also has such a plank in his platform but was less insistent in his campaign.

R. O. Richards, father of the primary law now in force, formerly a Republican, is the minority candidate opposing W. J. Bulow for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. The contest has attracted little notice.

Lona L. Perrin to Broadcast by Radio

Friends of Leona L. Perrin, former Maryville boy, the son of Mrs. A. R. Perrin, may hear him in two vocal solos on the night of March 31 by tuning their radios to WCCO, broadcasting station of St. Paul. Mr. Perrin, who is city editor of the St. Paul Dispatch, will appear on a program arranged by the Randolph Heights Presbyterian Church of St. Paul.

Allegheny Towns Are Threatened by Floe

Science Brings Relief as Ice-Destroying Chemical Is Exploded at Reno, Penn.

Warren, Pa., March 23.—The ten-mile ice gorge, frozen to the bottom of the river all winter, moved out shortly before noon today. Virtually every town along the upper Allegheny river was threatened with serious floods because of the sudden release of thousands of tons of ice and the equally sudden rise of the water level.

Oil City, Pa., March 23.—Science brought relief to this flood-stricken city today after it had been in the throes of the worst flood in its history following a steady downpour of rain and snow yesterday for a number of hours.

Experts successfully exploded several charges of thermite, an ice-destroying chemical, in the ice jam at Reno, just below Oil City.

PRIEST'S SON IS CANDIDATE

SEEKING REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR SENATOR.

DAD MAY OPPOSE HIM

New Aspirant Will Have A Platform Against Prohibition And The World Court.

St. Louis, March 23.—With a platform of anti-prohibition and anti-world court, W. Brodgett Priest, son of former Judge Henry S. Priest of St. Louis, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for United States Senator.

This announcement is interesting in view of the fact that Priest's father was understood to be contemplating entering the race on the Democratic ticket on a similar platform.

The judge was in the Democratic race in 1920 with a wet plank. Three candidates are now in the Republican race, Senator George H. Williams, the present incumbent, and W. O. Atkeson of Butler, having already announced their intention of running.

Judge Priest recently wrote Joshua Barbee of Kansas City, chairman of the Democratic state committee, demanding that a convention be called to determine the issues of the coming campaign, and to reach an agreement on candidates. It is understood Barbee denied Judge Priest's request, and with no action forthcoming from the state chairman, it is considered certain Judge Priest shortly will announce his candidacy for the same office for which his son is running on the opposing ticket.

Blodgett Priest's platform:

Modification of Volstead act to permit manufacture and sale of light wines and beer under strict regulation. Opposition to return of the saloon.

Immediate action by congress eliminating the United States from any participation in the world court, and safeguarding Americans from any further attempts to involve America in League of Nations or other entangling foreign alliance.

Abolishment of bureaucracy in our federal government, decentralizing of power and resumption of all inherent rights and privileges by states not specifically granted to federal government under constitution.

Reduction in taxation to greatest possible degree in conformity with economical, efficient and honest government.

Party responsibility and party recognition, a firm belief that only through party organization can success be achieved, and only through judgment of party councils can ideals purposes and splendid work of Republican party be carried on.

Blodgett Priest is a native Missourian and well known throughout the state. He has been a Republican from the day he cast his first vote. He was a great admirer of Roosevelt and Rooseveltian principles. Mr. Priest was born July 13, 1888 at Webster Groves, Mo., and was educated in the public schools of St. Louis, Webster college and Washington University. He was admitted to the practice of law in 1910, and except for the time he was in service in the World War he has practiced law in St. Louis. Priest is married and has two children. Mrs. Priest was Miss Asenath Simpson Cox, daughter of Frederick Irving Cox of Washington, D. C., member of the interstate commerce commission.

FAITH YET IN ARMS PARLEY

U. S. GOVT. HAS NO INTENTION OF WITHDRAWING.

FRANCE TROUBLESOME

"Without America League Will Never Be Perfect Success," Says Lloyd George.

Washington, March 23.—The American government has no intention of withdrawing from the League of Nations projected disarmament conference even though high officials of the administration are convinced that the Geneva gathering will accomplish little, if anything, of a constructive nature.

Intimation made by friends in the League that the administration is trying to scuttle the forthcoming conference was denied by administration officials today to be unwarranted.

The difficulties that President Coolidge and his chief advisors see at Geneva are not of American manufacture but of French and they revolve almost entirely around France's insistence that disarmament be figured on a basis of a nation's potential war strength rather than on the existing strength of the army and navy. Potential war strength takes into account population, natural resources, wealth, industrial development, food supplies, and everything that enters into the art of modern warfare.

How to arrive at any method of reducing armament on such a basis as this is the problem that has the best minds of the administration stumped.

London, March 23.—Great Britain must concentrate its efforts to save the League of Nations, declared Lloyd George in the House of Commons tonight, opening the attack upon Sir Austen Chamberlain for his policies at Geneva.

"The Geneva failure has antagonized the United States' attitude toward the League more than anything that has happened before," Lloyd George declared. "Without America, the League will never be a perfect success."

London, March 23.—Failure of the League of Nations to agree upon the admission of Germany was due to the searching publicity given the negotiations, declared Sir Austen Chamberlain, British foreign minister, when he arose in a crowded House of Commons this afternoon to answer his critics.

Sir Austen spoke in an atmosphere charged with excitement for the attacks on his policies by Lloyd George and others had been extremely bitter.

Washington, March 23—There has been no change in the determination of the American government to participate in the projected disarmament conference under the auspices of the League of Nations, it was announced at the White House this afternoon.

Preparations have been under way since the invitation was received some weeks ago. Minister Hugh S. Gibson will be the chief American delegate at the preliminary conference on May 18, as previously announced. He will be accompanied by a staff of army and navy experts.

Frank Defense Has Its First Defeat

Motion To Quash Indictment, On Grounds of Technicalities, Overruled By Judge Porterfield

Kansas City, March 23.—Motion to quash the indictment charging Mrs. Alberdina Frank and Carl B. Davis with attempted murder in connection with an alleged plot seeking the life of E. L. Frank, the woman's husband, was overruled by district judge Porterfield here today.

Mrs. Frank and Davis are accused by the state with hiring a Kansas City detective, who exposed them, to slay Frank. Defense counsel contended no overt act had been committed and that the indictment could only charge conspiracy to murder, a misdemeanor.

Mrs. Mabel Gillette spent Sunday with her father, Frank Alumbaugh of Barnard.

Weather

Fair tonight and probably Wednesday; moderate temperature, above freezing.

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TOO MANY BILLS.

The opportunity of the agricultural interests of the country to secure congressional legislation to help them is being dissipated by the numerous bills being offered and the disposition of the authors and friends of each bill to fight all the other bills. If the farmers would unite they could expect help from some of the eastern congressmen, but the latter say to them: "Well, what do you want? Get together on some plan and then we will help you." The Iowa Homestead gives the following list of bills before congress all introduced by members who represent farming districts:

By Representative Dickinson, Republican, Iowa—To create a federal farm board, under whose direction farmers' co-operative associations would buy surplus crops at the domestic price and sell them at the world price, being reimbursed for any losses by a fund obtained by collection of an equalization fee from the producers.

By Representative Aswell, Democrat, Louisiana—To establish the interstate farm marketing association, which, through a system of regional organizations, would provide for storing, transporting, processing and marketing commodities.

By Representative Christopherson, Republican, South Dakota—To form the American stabilizing commission to purchase grains and store or sell them within its discretion. The plan would be financed by a loan of $500,000,000 from the Federal Reserve Bank.

By Representative Sinclair, Republican, North Dakota—To direct the President to appoint a commission to inquire into a general system for the cooperative marketing of all products. Also a bill to finance out of the treasury a $100,000,000 corporation to buy and sell crops.

By Representative Adkins, Republican, Illinois—To authorize the government to issue on exported agricultural products debentures to be accepted as payment of duties on articles imported into the United States. This is intended to place the farmer on a greater equality under the tariff laws.

By Representative Little, Democrat, Kansas—To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to buy, sell and export wheat, under an appropriation of $100,000,000.

By Representative Strong, Republican, Kansas—To establish the Federal Market Finding Board to assist in domestic and foreign marketing.

By Representative Oldfield, Democrat- Arkansas—To form the Farmers' Export Corporation, capitalized by the government at $200,000,000, to find markets and provide credits for exporting surplus crops.

By Representative Tincher, Republican, Kansas—To prevent discrimination against farmers' co-operative organizations by boards of trades or similar organizations.

By Representative McLaughlin, Republican, Nebraska—To create the Corporation of Economic Guidance of Agriculture, to be capitalized by the government of $200,000,000, which would be collected through a sales tax on crops. It would endeavor to achieve a balanced production of staples by purchasing and storing surplus crops and by other means.

By Representative Beck, Republican, Wisconsin—To incorporate the United States Agricultural Co-operative Marketing Association, which would provide a national co-operative marketing system.—Shenandoah Sentinel-World.

At Livestock Market Yesterday.

Among the Nodaway County stockmen at the St. Joseph market yesterday were Theo Derkes, Clyde, O. B. Humphrey, Burlington Junction, and F. N. Martin, Clearmont. C. R. King of Sheridan also was a market visitor.

Miss Catherine O'Donnell and Miss Louise Pierse went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I didn't mean to handle the sock of eggs careless, an' the two that busted was old an' wore out, anyway."

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TOM SIMS SAYS

Bobbed hair is like some other modern conveniences. It isn't the initial cost, it's the upkeep.

A real friend is one who will help you without looking as if he thinks you are so ignorant.

We never see a man carrying a walking stick without wanting to ask him if he caught any fish.

Prohibition may not prohibit, but it certainly is a lot of fun.

One good turn deserves another and one bad turn usually brings on another.

No two persons look exactly alike or do the Charleston alike.

GIVING THE OLD TREE A GOOD WORK-OUT.

College Societies in Spring Term Elections

The literary societies of the State Teachers College have elected the following officers for the spring quarter.

Eurekans—Mrs. Mary Esther O'Banion, president; Richard Baker, vice-president; Chilton Ross, secretary; Stella Pettigrew, treasurer; G. Mervin McNulty, sergeant-at-arms.

Excelsiors—Miss Louie Youngman, president; Clifford Evans, vice-president; Mrs. Gladys Ferguson, secretary-treasurer.

Philomatheans—Guy Canaday, president; Faye Townsend, vice-president; Tompkins, secretary; Earl Wyman, ser-Margaret Mills, Treasurer; Mrs. Wm. geant-at-arms.

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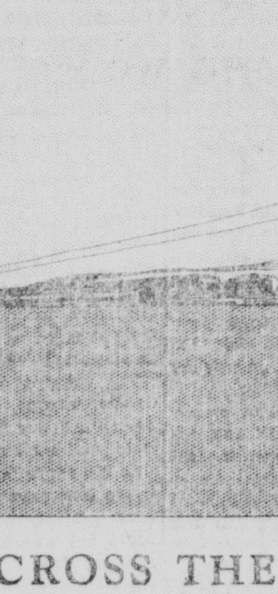

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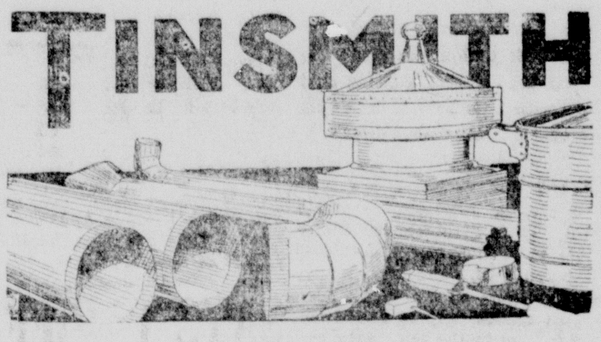

The Tinwork in Your New Home --- Must Be RIGHT

If it isn't, you'll pay for it in after years—when leaky eaves and poorly jointed piping cause damage.

We guarantee every job we do. That's why you should call upon us now as you start work on the building of your new home. Perhaps a suggestion or two from us may help you immeasurably. Let us try it!

The Tinners in Your Town.

Heideman & Leet

East Side Square

Just a few more days till Easter! Hardly seems possible, but it's almost here.

Of course men don't dress up for Easter nowadays, but it's still the time when a man looks over his wardrobe, discards the clothes that have done full service, and takes time to fit himself out with whatever new things he needs.

You'll enjoy looking over the new suits by Society Brand—the new Romley's and Glenmoor checks. The makers seem to have outdone themselves this season in the smartness of the new models, and the variety of rich fabrics.

The new effect is wide shouldered, very athletic. It's a style that looks supremely well on the vigorous young man; and it's easy to wear. The fabrics are in new shades for spring; wonderful new weaves never seen before.

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SOCIETY

Hosts to Knabb Club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Job will entertain members of the Knabb Country Club and their husbands at an all-day meeting Thursday.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Neidel entertained at dinner Sunday at their home west of Barnard. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. William Neidel, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neidel, and the hosts and son, Gene Moin.

Davidson-Wooten.

Miss Mabel Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davidson, and Melvin Wooten of Rosendale were married Saturday, March 20, at Savannah by the Rev. O. H. Loomis. They were accompanied by Miss Alice Fannon of Barnard and Ross Neely of Bolckow. After April 16, Mr. and Mrs. Wooten will be at home on a farm, northwest of Rosendale.

Stewart-Dwyre.

A young couple from the Burlington Junction, Mo., neighborhood were made happy on Friday, the 19th., when they came to Clarinda, securing a marriage license, and had the knot securely tied by Justice David Tharp, in his office. The groom is Mr. Willard Dwyre, a young farmer, whose father's name is Ed Dwyre. The lady of his choice was Miss Zola Stewart, the daughter of William Stewart. Mason Jones and Anna Swartout accompanied the couple and were witnesses to the ceremony.—Clarinda Herald.

Observe Four Birthdays.

Mrs. R. L. Adams entertained with a dinner at her home in Skidmore Sunday to observe the birthday anniversaries of Mr. Adams, Mrs. Loren Pfeiffer and Ralph Merritt of Skidmore and Clint Adams of Wilcox. Besides the honor guests, plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Adams and baby son, Mrs. Clint Adams and son, Leroy, Loren Pfeiffer and son, Charles, and the hostess and son, Sorenus.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Waymen McGinness entertained with a dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Lane, of Lawrence, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holddaof, also of Lawrence. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGinness of Mound City, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gordon of Graham, Lola McGinness, Arthur and Floyd Miller of Mound City, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinness and daughters, Leora and Virginia Rea. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kennady and daughter, Josephine.

Surprise Leland Morrow

A group of friends surprised Leland Morrow last night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morrow, near Pickering, the occasion being his eighteenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Maudie, Bernice and Anna Belle Hollensbe, Ethelyn and Edith Hanna, Neva, Mayme and DeLora McClurg, Keith Thompson, Milo and Ivan McClurg, Edison Hanna, Olin Fish, Frank Burch, Leland, Le Roy and Verlin Morrow, and Mr. and Mrs. Morrow.

50th Wedding Anniversary Celebrated.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Birdsey Matteson of Maryville was celebrated with a surprise family reunion today at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Hull, and Mr. Hull, on South Buchanan street. A 1 o'clock dinner was served in the dining room of the First Methodist Church which had been appropriately decorated for the occasion. The color scheme of gold and white predominated in all of the appointments.

In addition to the bride and groom of fifty years, plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Matteson and children, Fred and Helen Katherine, of Paris; Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Matteson and children, Joe, jr., and Frank Birdsey, Parnell; Mrs. J. E. Robertson and son, James, and Mrs. R. L. Paris and son, Jesse Carrol, of Artesia, N. Mex.; the Rev. E. E. Matteson, Wheaton, Ill.; Mrs. Flora C. Houser, Mrs. Howard Wright and John Jamison, Grant City; Mrs. H. L. Hunt, St. Joseph; Miss May Hull, Misses Sophie and Emma Hull, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hull and Kenneth, Ray and Elizabeth Hull.

Willhoytes Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte entertained with a roast turkey dinner at their home Sunday. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte and daughter, Roberta, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Vert and daughter, Augusta Mae, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Mayme Taylor, J. A. Kinsley, J. Vernon Taylor, Vivian Marie Taylor, Miss Grace Karr, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Miss Mary Taylor, Ernest Benjamin Willhoyte and the hosts.

Pollyanna Class

The March meeting of the Pollyanna Class of the First Methodist Church was held last night at the church. Supper was served at 6 o'clock picnic style. A short business meeting followed the supper. These class members were present: Miss Virginia Nicholas, Mildred Tebow, Helen Geist, Martha Glover, Virginia Curnutt, Florence and Catherine Wray, Mildred and Tama Carlson, Gertrude Curfman, Stella Pettigrew, Pauline Nicholas, Lucile Strong, Virginia Dean, Ruth Hughes, Katie Lett, Gertrude Wray, May Hull, Hildred Fitz, and Ruth England. Additional guests were Mrs. T. B. Mumma and Miss May Howland.

Bert Cooper Elected to Phi Delta Kappa

Bert Cooper, former Nodaway County superintendent of schools and faculty member now on leave of absence from the State Teachers' College, has been elected to membership in Phi Delta Kappa, national honorary education fraternity at Harvard University, according to the Green and White Courier.

The honor conferred upon Mr. Cooper was related by C. E. Partch, another former S. T. C. faculty member. Mr. Partch wrote:

"Students are recommended for membership on a basis of scholarship but in addition they must receive unanimous approval of fellow students who are already members as well as of the entire faculty. Mr. Cooper is making an excellent record and I am sure his many friends will be glad to hear of this honor which has come to him."

EAT
CHICKEN PIE
March 25—6 p. m.
First M. E. Church.
Come!
Boost for your Native State.
Good eats and lots of fun.

A Varied Program at Maryvillian Society

The Maryvillian Literary Society of the Maryville High School, sponsored by Hugh Graham, met this morning, at which time a program of varied numbers was given.

The program follows:

"The Chinese"—Junior Stanfield...
"Spring"—Francis Daniels.
"Late Inventions"—Junior Curnutt.
Jokes—Ivan Brewer.
"Spring Fever"—Stuart Bush.

Farmers Are Going in for Tractors More Now

More Radios Are Also Being Sold On Farms, According To Figures Of Department Of Commerce.

Washington, March 23.—Farmers are going in for tractors and radios with a rush, according to department of commerce figures made public. The number of tractors increased 100 per cent in California between 1920 and 1925, more than 29,000 tractors are being used on 25,891 farms in that state. At the same time, 13,254 radio sets are being used in the state, the figures disclosed.

These figures held true for nearly every state in the union.

Electric Theatre
Matinee at 3:00. Night 7:30 and 9:00.
Admission 10c and 30c.

Last time TONIGHT—Pete Morrison in "RANGE BUZZARDS." Also one reel of Sportlight, "STRENOUS LIFE." Showing the popular Charleston dance. Also International News.

Wednesday and Thursday, March 24 and 25—
REGINALD DENNY
in 'I'll Show You The Town'
Don Juan, the eternal lover, had nothing on Denny and his harem. This boy could out-sheik the entire Turkish Embassy. And the uproarious situations he got into would make a camel laugh. The best laugh-tonic ever administered a smile-loving nation, with Denny at his joyous best. Also a two reel comedy

"DRAGON ALLEY" WITH Jack McHugh A Juvenile COMEDY
Educational Pictures

Water Off to Make Theatre Connection

City water was turned off from 10:30 o'clock last night until about 5 o'clock this morning in order that connections might be made for the new theater being erected by J. F. Cook and repairs made to two main valves.

Mrs. E. T. Godsey spent yesterday in Kansas City on business.

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BAKING POWDER
Same Price for over 35 Years
25 ounces for 25 cents
Why Pay War Prices?
Our Government used millions of pounds

GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM GUARANTEE
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR YOUR MONEY BACK
REMOVE SEAL WITH DAMP CLOTH

CARLOAD SALE -- CONGOLEUM RUGS

And Congoleum Nairn Products

We have contracted to sell a Carload of Congoleum products this season. If we do we get an extra discount. We believe we can do it, and we are passing this discount to you.

This sale is in line with our 1926 Policy

Increased Volume

With Lower Prices.

It comes at a most opportune time for your benefit, in time to make your purchases in preparation for your spring house cleaning.

The prices on the various sizes are as follows:

Congoleum Rugs

9x15	$17.50
9x12	$12.95
9x10-6	$12.25
9x9	$10.80
7-6x9	$8.95
6x9	$7.25

THIS SALE INCLUDES

Congoleum Gold Seal Rugs in all sizes and patterns. Congoleum in 6 and 9 foot widths, Congoleum Rug Border and Congoleum Nairn Gold Seal Linoleum, both printed and inlaid.

LINOLEUM

Congoleum Nairn Gold Seal Linoleum

(With the Burlap Back)

12 foot Printed, square yard	$1.00
6 foot Inlaid, square yard	$1.75

Gold Seal Congoleum, By the yard

6 foot width, square yard	60c
9 foot width, square yard	70c
24 inch Rug Border, yard	40c
36 inch Rug Border, yard	50c

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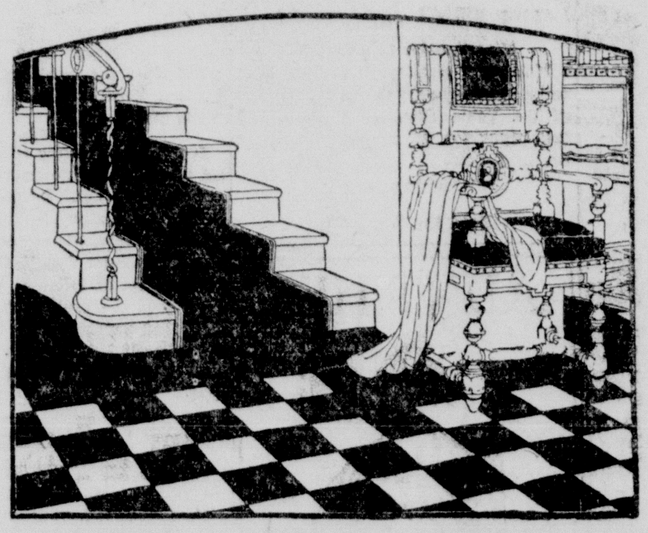
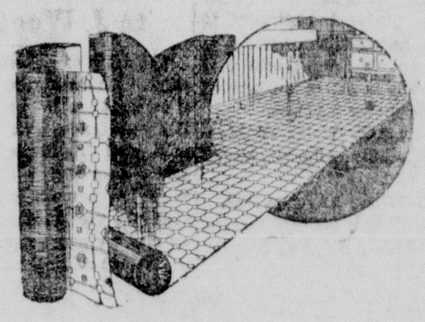
Furniture - Rugs - Drapes





Easter Shoes ARRIVE

Just as necessary as the Easter bonnet, are shoes like 'em. New models for Spring, to complete your Easter costume. You'll enjoy selecting a pair now. There's such a beautiful showing Then our fitters are all experts who will enjoy showing you all these new modes.

MONTGOMERY SHOE COMPANY
"Art in Footwear."

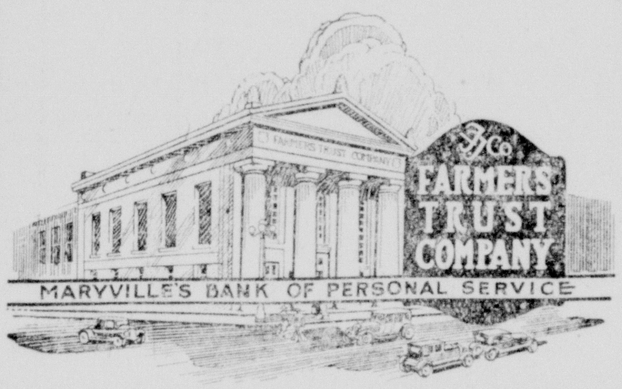
Do You Have Trouble Making Ends Meet? Let Us Help You

Most of us do. But there is one plan—every business and now the U. S. Government uses it—that will greatly simplify personal and household money problems.

That's the budget system.

It is simple but it works wonders. It merely means the planned and intelligent control of your money. We'll be very glad to go over your problem with you and help make a plan that fits YOUR needs. Of course any wise plan includes a reserve for contingencies—a saving.

There is no obligation. Come in.



Scatter Sunshine With Greeting Cards

Easter—the season of gladness of Earth's resurrection—the time of times to send sweet messages of Friendship to those we love.

We have the Newest Easter Cards now.

D. E. Hotchkin

Third and Main.

Wheeler Case Into Limelight Once More

Senator Walsh, Democrat Of Montana, Demands "Clean Up" In Department Of Justice Ranks.

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer.

How many among us (senators) will care to incur the displeasure of the Department of Justice if it may with impunity employ perjured testimony to wreak it vengence upon those who thus dare? I propose to demonstrate that that is just what it did in the case of my colleague, Senator Wheeler.

—Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, in the United States Senate, March 15.

Washington—Strong language that.

It went with Senator Walsh's demand on Attorney General John G. Sargent to advise the Senate if he intends to make perjury charges against George B. Hayes, "surprise witness" against Senator Wheeler in the latter's trial in Montana on an accusation of improperly using his official position in a personal client's interest with the Department of the Interior.

It suggests that the Justice Department hasn't got the Wheeler case entirely off its hands yet.

It will be recalled that Wheeler was indicted while making things unpleasant for the then Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty. He and his friends declared it a frameup from the first.

The Senate investigated and gave Wheeler a clean bill of health.

Nevertheless he was tried in Montana. It was less even than a weak case, barring what Hayes had to say. The jury, however, didn't believe Hayes—whose story certainly did sound improbable, at best—and acquitted the senator on its first vote.

Paper Pays Tribute to J. Woodson Smith

The death of J. Woodson Smith, pioneer hat manufacturer, brings to an end a career of more than half a century. His association with the business life of Kansas City began in 1902, when he moved from Maryville, Mo., and founded the hat company which bore his name until the establishment was destroyed by fire ten years ago. Mr. Smith had the respect and esteem of all with whom he came in contact, for his sterling business integrity and the many admirable qualities he displayed in public and private live.—Kansas City Jouprnal.

John Koch, who has been assisting at the Gaugh & Evans drug store during the illness of L. H. Evans, returned to his home in St. Joseph Sunday morning. He had been here several weeks.

Mrs. Ida White of Wilcox was called to Kansas City yesterday by the serious condition of her grandson, who is ill of bronchial penumonia.

Personals

B. K. Lewis of Harmony was a business visitor in Maryville today.

E. E. Rhodes went to Bethany today on Business.

John Hollensbee of Pickering was in Maryville today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Caster of Parnell were in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lemaster of St. Joseph are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lemaster.

Mrs. H. A. Webb, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Watt Hobbs, in St. Joseph, has returned to the home of another daughter, Mrs. Peter Cornell of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Iva Roberts and Mrs. Harland King of Worth are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mann of Orrsburg today.

Mrs. J. J. Heifner returned last night from a four month's stay in Columbia, Mo., where she visited her daughters, Mrs. D. L. Gribble and Mrs. N. E. Wade.

A marriage license has been issued in Kansas City to Elmer R. Dick, Burlington Junction, 40; and Anna E. Adams, Chillicothe, 33.

William H. Cutter, Arkoe, and Sarah E. Brewer, Rosendale, were granted a marriage license in St. Joseph yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Chaves of Atchison, Kan., returned home yesterday morning after a visit with her son, W. F. Chaves, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Strong and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Strong spent yesterday in St. Joseph. Mrs. P. R. Moore, who accompanied them, remained for a longer visit.

Shoppers Here from Elmo

Mrs. C. A. Lamar, Mrs. John Lamar, Mrs. Donna Hamilton and Mrs. Mary Clardy, all of Elmo, were Maryville shoppers yesterday.

Returns from Des Moines

Mrs. Sara Robison, head of the corset and ready-to-wear department of the Remus Mercantile store, returned last night from Des Moines, Ia., where she attended the Modart corset convention and school of instruction at the Fort Des Moines Hotel.

Arkoe W. C. T. U.

The meeting of the Arkoe W. C. T. U., which was postponed last week on account of the Canaday funeral, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Church. All friends of the union are cordially invited.

Announce Birth Of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Vilas McClurg, living near Pickering, announce the birth of a son Thursday, March 18, at St. Francis Hospital. Mrs. McClurg was formerly Miss Mina Harvey.

Watson Couple Married.

Miss Marguerite Kish and Lee Wolf, both of Watson, Mo., were married at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the office of Judge W. L. Johnson.

Trenton Man Poses as Woman for 27 Years

Had "Married" Twice And Says Father, Sister And Brother Did Not Know Of Deception.

St. Louis, March 23.—A man who has lived for twenty-seven years as a woman and has "married" twice was revealed here today when police arrested Vera Mae Avery of Trenton, Mo.

Stylishly dressed in a tan dress, a fur collar and smart hat, "Vera Mae" told the police, who arrested "her," when "she" applied for a position as a nurse, the story of his life. He claimed that even his father, brother and sister did not know of the deception.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Otis Plan Maryville Visit

Writing from Huntington Park, Cal., to renew her subscription to the Democrat-Forum and Tribune, Mrs. Ed Otis, a former well known Maryville resident, says that she and Mr. Otis expect to start east on a trip about May 15 and on their way to Chicago will stop in Maryville.

Mr. Otis has not been in good health for some time, Mrs. Otis writes, but they hope he will be able to make the trip.

Chautauqua Features Form Society Program

The Elizabethean Literary Society of the Maryville High School, in meeting this morning, started a series of seven Chautauqua features. L. L. St. Clair, principal of the High School, gave an address, while Miss Frances Lauber gave a reading, "Telling The Truth."

Andrews Wins Feature at Armory Last Night

Howard, England and Hall Other Victors in Sport Card Staged by Battery C.

G. Andrews won from E. Eiseman in the feature match on the wrestling card at Battery C Armory last night. Andrews won the first fall in 1 minute and 21 seconds with a bar arm and head scissors. Eiseman came back and took the second in 1 minute and 36 secons when he forced Andrews to the mat after the latter had secured a full Nelson on him. Andrews took the final fall after 11 minutes and 50 seconds of wrestling with a body scissors. Andrews holds the battery championship.

After losing the first fall to Caudell in 1 minute and 40 seconds, Howard took the next two in their match in 4 minutes and 40 seconds and 32½ seconds respectively.

England won a referees decision over Moon in two fast rounds of boxing as a curtain raiser to the main bout, and Hall won a one-fall wrestling match from Bryan in the final event on the card.

Dr. D. J. Thomas refereed all the matches. A fair-sized crowd was present.

Gordon Joy Will Lead Bearcat Cage Quintet

New Captain Was Mainstay of College Team.—Is Also A Track Letter Man.

Gordon Joy, guard on this year's State Teachers College basketball team, was elected captain of next year's team at a meeting of the letter men yesterday afternoon. Joy who will be a senior, is a two-letter man in basketball. This year he was one of the most dependable men on Coach Lawrence's team. His home is in Ravenwood.

Joy is also a track man. He has won two letters for his ability to heave the javalin.

Disappointed in Love, Man Seeks Confinement

Suffers Due Poverty And Inflicts Punishment Upon Himself.—Bank Deposits Remain In Tact.

Morehouse, Mo., March 23. (United Press).—Disappointed in love 30 years ago, Jules LaFencheon lived the life of a hermit; suffering due poverty and inflicting terrible torture upon himself, his death here recently revealed.

The story of LaFencheon's life is being pieced together by those who found him dead in his swamp house. When the girl with whom he was in love ran away and married a younger man, LaFencheon, who was wealthy, put all his money in several southeast Missouri banks, sold his farms and ranches and retired to the solitude of the swamp.

His bank books show that during the 30 years of his hermit-like existence he made no withdrawals from his bank deposits.

For the most part he lived on nuts, roots and what fish he was able to catch. His actual expenses amounted to perhaps $10 or $15 a year which he secured from an unknown source.

For a long time LaFencheon lived in solitude in the swamp country. With the drainage of the swamps, however, civilization began to make some inroads into the wilderness which he had shared with animals of every description. He declined to have anything to do with those who pushed in here to form a city near valuable lumber holdings.

The hut in which he was found dead was indescribably filthy.

The extent of his wealth has not been determined, nor to whom his property will go.

Miss Bentley to Colorado.

Miss Eda Bentley, who has been employed in the dry goods department of the Yehle Dry Goods store, left last night for an indefinite stay at Sterling, Colo.

Read the Want Ads.

AUNT HET

"Bet needn't put on airs before me no more. I seen her pantry today an' it smells right mousey."

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Clarks Wed Fifty Years

(Continued from page 1)

for nine years, meanwhile adding thirty more acres to it. All their farm moves thereafter were made at nine year intervals.

Made Profit on Farm Sales.

They sold the first farm and bought a 105-acre tract about six miles due west of Maryville for $34.35 an acre. They kept it nine and sold it for $65 an acre, buying 160 acres about six miles northeast of Maryville at $60. Nine years later they sold it for $85 an acre. With their children grown and gone, they sold this farm and bought twenty-six acres about one and one half miles north of the Burlington depot. In turn they stayed there nine years and then moved to Maryville. This was five years ago.

"I figure we've got four more years to live here," Mr. Clark joked. "But maybe they'll carry me away before then."

They have five acres in the Prather avenue place and a comfortably furnished house.

At the dinner yesterday were two sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Solon C. Clark of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark of St. Joseph. Another son, Harvey, lives in Burbank, Cal., and a fourth, Bliss, in Trenton, N. J. There are six grandchildren. A daughter died in infancy.

Mr. Clark has two sisters, who live in Denver, and a brother in Burbank. Mrs. Clark has two sisters, Mrs. E. E. Tilton of this city and Mrs. Delia Masters of Skidmore; and a brother, Frank Brown, also of Skidmore.

Enjoy Radio Set.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Clark enjoy the radio receiving set, although the former prefers reading to some of the "worthless jazz programs."

Discussing the changes in their lifetime, Mrs. Clark said:

"It seems to me we thought so much more in those days about living for the future. Now, I think, all the young folks think of is just having a good time. I think that is one reason why there are so many divorces now. There is so much going and pleasure that they just can't save anything.

"Yes, our advice to the young couples would be to look to the future and save," she concluded.

Under Capitol Dome

THE BORAH TRIAL BALLOON

By Paul R. Mallon
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, March 23.—It's a little early for 1928 presidential trial balloons but at least one has been launched for Senator William E. Borah, leader of the fight against President Coolidge's demand for American adherence to the world court.

The movement was started by anti court factions in the Middle West, obviously without consent of the irreconcilable leader in the upper house who will have nothing to say about it.

Many thing can happen in the two years which intervene before the next presidential campaign to prove who was right or who was wrong about the world court, but Borah's friends here are not at present desirous of fomenting a national boom in his behalf alone upon the court issue.

Up to the time of the break between the senator and the president over the court debate, Borah was called to the White House by Mr. Coolidge just about every time there was an important issue to be decided. While Mr. Coolidge did not always follow Borah's recommendations he respected the opinion of the chairman of the foreign relations committee enough to consult him before making vital decisions.

At that time there were many in Washington who believed Mr. Coolidge might select Borah to carry the party banner if he himself should not deem it advisable to seek a third term. More improbable things have happened.

But since the court argument Borah has not been seen much around the White House.

It is senate courtesy to use the choicest words when one senator wishes to criticize another. Senator Thaddeus Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, who lacks neither words nor ideas, recently spoke of Senator Tom Heflin, Democrat of Alabama, as follows:

"I love the senator from Alabama more than anyone else in the world except himself but if he knows anything (and I don't charge that he does) he knows . . . . "

Many U. S. Employes Go to Private Firms

Washinton, March 23 (United Press).—Uncle Sam is having great difficulty in keeping private business from obtaining his efficient and experienced employees.

Almost every day some expert is taken from the government service by a private business firm which gives him better pay.

Figures recently submitted to Congress by Dr. Julius Klein, foreign trade head of the Commerce Department, showed that 44 of his "best men" quit the service during the last fiscal year to accept employment with outside organizations.

Discriminating

Mothers Welcome Kaynee Boys' Wear

Mothers everywhere choose Kaynee not only for style, but for the sturdy sun and tub proof fabrics.

We have a very complete assortment of Kaynee Shirts, Suits and Blouses. In it you are sure to find just what you need and want for your little son. Come in and see our display.

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However, there are just a lot of you folks that are straining your eyes and are unconscious of it.

Remember the old adage, "A Stitch in Time Saves Nine." Why not take advantage of our ultra modern scientific equipment and the services of our skilled optometrist? Have your eyes tested and be safe.

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Douglas School Pupils Make Study of Nature

Esther Thompson Writes Account Of Trip, Entitled, "An Outing In The Woods."

The pupils of the Douglas school made a trip to the woods to study nature Friday. The following is an account of the trip which was written by Esther Thompson, a sixth grade pupil:

"An Outing in the Woods".

Friday morning we children of the Douglas school, accompanied by our teacher, Miss Iva Mounts, went to search for birds and the plants and animals of spring. We started at nine o'clock.

We went east around pastures, cornfields and ditches. We took paper and pencils and kept a list of the plants, birds and animals we saw and heard. The following birds were seen and heard: meadow lark, chipping sparrow, chickadee, crow, red bird, woodchuck, blue jay, hawk, jacksnipe, wild canary, wood pecker, thrush, robin, blue bird, cat bird, belted kingfish, bee martin, black and white creeper, flicker, rain crow, wren, and black bird.

Some plants we saw were: gooseberry buds, moss, strawberry plants, clover, grass, red weed, plantain, violet leaves, dock, silver maple, rhubarb sprouts, and dead asparagus.

At a farm near by we saw prune trees, some fir trees (transplanted from the Garden of the Gods') some tulips, a quince bush, a dwarf cherry tree and some wild grape vines.

We also saw a ground hog, rabbit, squirrel, some spiders and angle worms.

The playground equipment consisting of a slide, teeter-totter and merry-go-round arrived Friday.

A school experiment garden was made by the agriculture class.

Some bird houses are being constructed by the boys of the "C" class.

In the contest of the "A" and "B" classes against the "C" and "D" classes on perfect attendance it appears the smaller folks will win.

Practice has been going on for sometime on the play which will be presented in about two weeks.

Galen Gray was thrown from his pony while returning home from school Wednesday evening and injured his arm severely.

We oiled our floor again Friday evening.

Orville Suetterlin of Conception Junction was in Maryville last evening.

Theories Are Put Into Practice And Results Are Obtained In a Gratifying Manner At the State Teachers College "Ideal" Demonstration School

The State Teachers College demonstration school is a place where theories are put into practice and surprising results are obtained. It is a place where play is combined with work at the expense of neither, and the pupils not only maintain the proper standard but exceed it in every instance.

The demonstration school comes as near to being ideal as facilities will permit. Instead of being run on the regular routine, there are several innovations which tend to make the pupils have an added interest in their work.

The boys and girls go to school at 8 o'clock in the morning instead of an hour later, as is usually the case.

Twenty of the pupils are daily brought to the College from the Garrett School district. They are brought to Maryville at 7:30 o'clock in the morning in the College bus, and are taken home in the afternoon. The other thirty pupils are from Maryville and parts of the neighboring country. The school is limited to fifty pupils and there is a long waiting list.

Those pupils who arrive at the school at 7:30 o'clock are supervised in play for 30 minutes. Then the school starts. For an hour, regular work is the program.

At 9 o'clock the recreation period starts. This is the most pronounced of the several innovations, for it is at this time that the school children from all of the eight grades go to the new gymnasium for a dip in the swimming pool.

This morning, a reporter of this newspaper watched the children receiving their daily swimming lesson. They were divided into three groups. The boys and girls of the first three grades went in together at the start of the hour.

Each child takes a shower bath before he enters the pool. Miss Mary E. Keith, supervisor of the school, tends to getting the little girls in readiness, and Vilas Thorp, young son of Mrs. Bess Thorp, is master of ceremonies in the little boys' department. With sleeves rolled up and be-booted feet, he superintends the baths for the youngsters.

This morning, there was a new recruit, and it was amusing to see Vilas as he seriously went about his business of getting the little fellow in readiness for the pool. After the lad had at last been fully initiated into the mysteries of a shower bath, Vilas assisted him to don his bright green bathing suit.

"Now, Archie," he said, "you put one foot in each of these holes and help me pull this suit up."

Archie did so, with much sputtering, for he was still dripping from the shower. The suit was new, and of wool, and the process was a bit tedious. Finally it was completed, and off went Archie to join his fellows in the big tank.

Miss Helen Manley and Miss Parr, instructors in the women's physical education department, assisted by four women who are studying swimming, take charge of the youngsters' daily dip.

Today it was an amusing sight. The first diving lesson was given. Some were frightened, exceedingly so, and others were quite brave. Much water was splashed on the outside of the pool, and about as much was swallowed by the children, in their bathing ecstacies. But it was fun, and it was instructive.

Girls in grades above the third were in the second group, and boys of similar classes were in the third.

After the plunge, school began, even while the children were dresing. First there was a mad rush as the youngsters raced to see who could dress first. The one who won was allowed to turn on the electric hair drier.

Each child was placed under the hot air and his hair was carefully dried by Miss Keith. While one was undergoing the process, the others stood eagerly around, answering questions put by the supervisor.

"How many make twelve?" she asked, and instantly ten small hands waved frantically.

"We have a regular arithmetic lesson during this process," she said.

By 10 o'clock, the children are back in their rooms, at their studies. Assistant teachers from the College keep two rooms busy all the time.

At noon a hot lunch is served under the direction of Miss Josephine Price. Yesterday the children were given hot cocoa, and today rice and milk were featured. This is in addition to their regular lunch which is brought with them.

One of the other extra-curricular activities is the music lesson, which is given to all of the pupils in the fourth grade and higher each Monday morning.

Each child is given a violin, furnished by the College, and Miss Helen Dvorak, head of the stringed instrument department of the conservatory of music, given a lesson. This has been going on for some time, and the pupils are showing marked improvement.

Psychology is used in connection with the teaching of the school. Measurements and tests are given at stated intervals to determine if too much outside work is being given the children.

"We are careful in this matter," Miss Keish said, "but we have found that in all cases the children have either remained at standard or exceeded it."

Last year there were but fifteen pupils in the school. The enrollment this year speaks for its success.

Parents have been regular visitors at the school this year. The swimming activity, particularly, has been a drawing card.

The idea for the demonstration school came from Homer T. Phillips, of the College faculty. He made all of the general plans, and, in co-operation with the administration of the institution, the project was started. Miss Keith was secured to supervise the school, although she does no actual teaching.

The school is in line with the new idea of child education. It has passed the state of an experiment and has reached that of a concrete proof.

Dean Dorman Writes to H. S. History Club

A program touching upon national and international phases was given this morning at the History Club of the Maryville High School.

A letter from Dean Dorman, former member of the club, now at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station was received. He gave the students some idea of training life.

The program follows:

"Germany Kept out of the League by the Stubbornness of Brazil"—Bonnie Campbell.

"Why America has Been Invited to Disarm"— Marvin Shamberger.

Jokes—Nettie Russell.

"Conservation of our National Forests"—Donald Alexander.

"Latest Report on Muscle Shoals"—Oliver Manley.

"Reflections on Captain Kid"—Ruth Kramer.

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

HENRY RAND, 55, a business man, is found murdered in a cheap hotel in Grafton. Police find a woman's handkerchief and the stub of a yellow theater ticket.

JANET RAND, his daughter, breaks her engagement with BARRY COLVIN because of the "disgrace." JIMMY RAND, his son, goes to Springfield where the theater is. The stub is traced to OLGA MAYNARD, a cabaret singer.

Jimmy meets and falls in love with MARY LOWELL. Later he encounters Olga. She faints at hearing police want her for murder. Mary, out with SAMUEL CHURCH, a wealthy lawyer, sees Jimmy lift Olga into a taxi and misunderstands.

Olga tells police the stub might have come into possession of a man who "picked her up" two nights before the murder. Jimmy receives mysterious warnings to leave Springfield and later is attacked by two men, but escapes.

With Jimmy and Mary estranged, Church gets Mary's promise to marry him. Jimmy and Olga, out one night, see a man they both recognize—she as the man who got the stub, he as one of his assailants. The man escapes, but they identify him by his police picture as IKE JENSEN.

Church, motoring with Mary, runs over a dog. She breaks her engagement and writes Jimmy a letter, explaining, but the office boy forgets to mail it.

Jimmy gets a phone call from Olga saying she has found Jensen. He rushes to her apartment to find her gone. Her disappearance becomes a newspaper sensation. O'Day fills Jimmy's mind with new doubts by telling him he found a picture of Henry Rand in Olga's room.

Jimmy walking with Barry, suddenly sees Kid Divis, a known intimate of Jensen, boarding a street car. He runs in pursuit, swings aboard the car. When Divis gets off, at the end of the line, Jimmy follows him through lonely streets and dismal fog. He sees Divis enter a house, and, after the door closes behind him, he approaches the house himself.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XLVII

Jimmy, a gloom-shrouded figure in the fog, his pulses racing madly—whether from fear or excitement he did not know—slowly approached the house where he had seen Kid Divis disappear.

He stood now just in front of it. A short flight of steps led up to the front door, another short flight down to the basement entrance.

It was the basement entrance which Divis had used and Jimmy made his cautious way down the steps. He stood just outside the door, his ear pressed against a panel. But he heard nothing and for a brief second he debated whether to try the door and see if he could slip in unheard and unseen.

But he had a change of mind. "Better look around first," and his voice, a low whisper, was eerie-like in the fog.

Again he was suddenly cold, his blood running chill. An involuntary shiver shook him as he stood in the basement entrance trying to decide on some plan of action that would enable him to see inside the house without himself being discovered.

Fleeting memories came of boyhood nights before the fireside with thrilling detective fiction. Surely, he thought, none of it was more hair-raising or perilous than this—and this, strangely, was real life. It was impossible, and yet it was true.

He knew, instinctively, that inside this house was the secret to those mysterious warnings he had received; to Jensen's whereabouts; even to his father's murder.

"If only this place wasn't so far from nowhere," he contemplated. "Foolish to try anything alone. Even more foolish to take the time to get police out here. They might clear out."

He thought of running to the nearest house and asking for help. But the nearest house was a good quarter of a mile away and, besides, how was he to know whether it would be friend or foe living there?

He climbed the stairs again and found himself at the front basement window. He peered at the darkness within, but saw nothing, and the silence was oppressive and fearful.

Slowly he made his way around to the side—the side whence he had seen the light shining down the road. The light was still there, casting a dull glow through a drawn shade. Jimmy bent down and looked.

He thought: "If anyone comes between the light and the window, I'll see his shadow."

He could detect a low murmur of voices, but they seemed far away. And no one moved between the light and the window. There was just that dim unfriendly glow through the shade.

He strained forward, listening, and suddenly he thought he heard a voice rising on a note of anger. And, while he listened, the voice ceased. There was a brief silence, and then from the room came the sound of a woman's scream. . . . . .

He checked the cry that sprang to his own lips. The voice was Olga Maynard's."

He turned around helplessly. Should he run for assistance, or should he try to enter the house alone? Would it do any good? It seemed so foolhardy, and yet—God!—Olga had cried out for help. She needed him.

As if in answer to his question, the cry came again. This time it was not a scream, but a low moan.

"God help us!" he cried. "I'm going in," and he ran as swiftly as he could around to the front entrance.

Before the door he paused. Should he try to rush boldly in—maybe by breaking a window—and trust to the value of a surprise attack. Or should he try by stealth?

"Hurry, hurry. Do something." His voice was a desperate whisper.

He cautiously tried the knob of the door that had opened in answer to Davis' knock. He was somehow not surprised to find that it turned. Divis had not locked the door behind him.

He stealthily turned the knob all the way, and then, with a silent prayer a betraying squeak, he slowly pushed it open until there was enough space for him to push his body past.

Carefully he closed it behind him, felt the latch click home with only a faint sound, and stood in semi-darkness in a hallway.

To his left, the door swung open, was an unlighted room. Jimmy judged that it might be a living room or, more probably, one of those old fashioned basement "parlors."

Just ahead of him, and to his right, was a flight of stairs with thin carpet nearly worn through. And a little farther down the hall, and to his left, a door stood ajar, letting a broad beam of light sift into the darkness.

He judged it was the room through whose window he had first seen the light and outside which he had just been listening. He heard voices—a man's heavy bass, another man's voice, higher pitched.

He had heard that first one. It was Jensen. And he heard the labored, catchy breathing of a woman trying to suppress her sobs.

Then carefully, his hand supported him against the wall, he tip-toed down the hall and peered into the room, takings pains to keep clear of the beam of light.

There, sitting in a chair, his back to the door, was Kid Davis. He had taken off his coat, but his cap still perched on the back of his head. Directly opposite Divis was Olga, likewise sitting in a chair. Her head was down on her breast. Jimmy could not be sure, but he thought her position indicated she was held in the chair, possibly by a rope around her arms.

And Jensen was standing. He held in his hand a heavy glass tumbler, half filled with whisky, or what Jimmy took for whisky. He drained it and set it down. He turned to Olga, his face brutal with drunkenness.

"Stop your sniffin'," he growled. He raised a heavy paw threateningly.

Jimmy stiffened. If he should strike her he would cast everything to the winds and rush blindly in. It was more than he could bear.

But Jensen changed his mind. His hand fell to his side and he shrugged, poured himself another drink.

"Go easy, Ike," said Divis. "Ain't ya had enough yet?"

"Aw shut up!" came from Jensen, thickly. "Y' make me sick."

Jimmy retreated slowly along the wall. He found himself again before the door that opened on the living room. His foot,—luckily, it made no noise—came in contact with a hard object on the floor. He reached down for it, half groping, for he could not distinguish it in the darkness.

He picked it up, and to his touch it felt like a heavy, round metal knob, with a crudely fashioned handle. Holding it up toward the light that sifted from the other room, he beheld what apparently was the broken off end of a heavy brass and iron.

Then he carefully set it down again and pulled off his overcoat and hat. These he laid on the floor just inside the front room. He picked up the broken andiron again and held it firmly in his right hand.

He stood there in the hall, wondering what he should do—what he COULD do. He wished for Lieutenant O'Day's powerful presence. Strange thoughts flashed through his mind . . . the heroes of those boyhood detective thrillers . . . how feeble and incompetent he looked beside them . . . he was scared—scared stiff—yet he knew that if Jensen laid his hand on Olga again he would dash madly, blindly, into that room and strike out with the crude weapon that he held in his hand.

He grasped the broken andiron more firmly. From the room came Jensen's drink-thickened voice again, his words an indistinguishable blur as they floated through the hall.

Then another sound—from upstairs. He jumped nervously. Loud and clear it came to his ears, the ringing of a telephone bell. It sounded strangely foreign to this old house. It came again, an insistent, long ring.

He heard a chair scrape in the room where he had seen Jensen and the others. Then Jensen's voice:

"Damn telephone. Naw, sit still, Kid, I'll answer it. . . Probably the big feller wantin' to talk to me. Damn nuisance, the phone's upstairs."

Jimmy heard Jensen's heavy footfalls, saw his shadow move out into the hall and lengthen fantastically on the carpet.

He stepped quickly into the friendly darkness of the front room. Should he swing the andiron as Jensen passed to go up the stairs? Swing at his head with all his might and then leap madly in at Divis?

He decided against it. There was that telephone call. He wanted to know who was calling—whom Jensen had referred to when he spoke of the "big feller."

He stood where he was and let Jensen pass. He could have taken two short steps and reached out with his hand and touched him as he turned to mount the stairs. A sudden plan flashed through his mind as he saw Jensen's broad back moving upward. . . .

He waited until the man had reached the floor above, heard him grunt "hello" into the phone, then, his muscles taut, his nerves tense, he softly tip-toed toward the lighted room.

Divis was still seated in the chair with his back to the door, his feet comfortably propped on the bare table. He was sipping slowly from the heavy tumbler that Jensen had been using.

As silently as a cat Jimmy moved. He could still hear Jensen's voice, muffled by the distance, at the phone.

And now he stood framed in the doorway. There was Olga, her head drooping wearily. She was tied in the chair, Jimmy saw. He took one cautious step toward Divis and saw Olga suddenly look up, saw the frozen horror on her face as she beheld him.

And Divis—Divis say it, too. He set the glass down on the table, slowly moved to turn his head. . . .

And then Jimmy sprang forward, raising the hand that held the broken andiron.

(To be continued).

Memorial Proposed in Honor Church Leader

Mexico District of M. E. Church, South, Would Build Monument To Memory of Bishop Enoch Marvin.

Mexico, Mo., March 23 (United Press)—A suitable memorial to the memory of Bishop Enoch Mather Marvin, a native Missourian, and one of the great preachers of his time until his death in 1877, has been proposed by the Mexico district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

A resolution passed at the district's semi-annual conference at Troy recently named a committee to consider plans for a memorial to be presented at the annual Missouri conference which will be held in September at a place not yet named.

He served as a chaplin in the Confederate army, and under General Price for two years in Arkansas and Texas.

After the war, in 1866, he was appointed Bishop of the South Church, and in his first tour among the Cherokees, Choctaw, Chickasaw and Creek Indian tribes saved, and then impoverished work of his conference.

After serving ten years as Bishop, he was chosen by the College of Bishops to go to China and Japan to examine native missionaries and to ordain native preachers. While on this trip he visited and preached on the Pacific, in Japan, China, India, Egypt, Jerusalem, Athens and on the shores of the Red Sea, the Mediterranean and the Atlantic.

Shortly after he returned home he died in St. Louis, and is buried there.

News From Missouri Cities and Towns.

Cape Girardeau—The Board of Education here has purchased an entire block of ground in the southwestern part of the city as the site for a school which will be built later.

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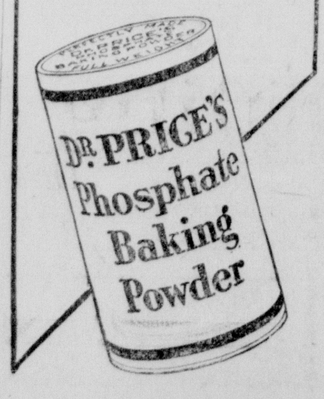

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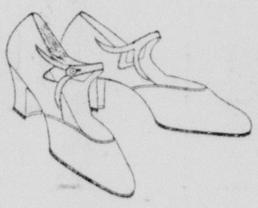

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MEN with ability, who own cars can make a profitable connection with a large Iowa Corporation. Work requires selling our product in rural communities in Iowa and northern Missouri. To men who can qualify we assure a permanent position and salary. Sales experience not absolutely necessary. Write giving record as regards past employment and success.—Address Salesmanager, Dept. 10, Box 151, Des Moines, Iowa.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm.—Call or write E. C. Gooden, Parnell.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

BARRED ROCK eggs, $3.50 per 100. Ringlet strain, dark mating; good layers.—Mrs. Marion Graham, Bedison Phone, Maryville Route 5.

FOR SALE—Purebred Barred Rock eggs for setting, $3.00 per hundred.—Mrs. Harve Walter, Farmers 914.

FOR SALE—R. C. White Wyandotte, hatching eggs, $3.50 per 100; extra good stock.—Phone J. E. Finnell, Burlington Junction, write Route 1, Quitman.

PUREBRED Chicks, Buckeye hatched. Now $12.50 per 100. Leghorn, $11.00. Custom hatching.—Gray's Hatchery, 402 East 6th Street, Maryville, Mo.

Single Comb
WHITE LEGHORNS
Tom Barron Strain

$3 Per Hundred

The kind that doesn't know anything but to lay. Breeding stock from Ohio. The best flock of layers we have ever had. Telephone, write or come and see us. Eggs shipped C. O. D. We guarantee safe delivery.

MR. and MRS. D. N. HOSHOR
10 miles south of Maryville, on concrete, Barnard, Mo.

PUREBRED barred rock eggs, $3.50 per 100 at farm.—Mrs. Helen Moore, Ravenwood.

FOR SALE—White English Tom barren strain, Single Comb Leghorn eggs, $3 per 100; 50c per setting.—Mrs. Walter Iddings, Skidmore, Mo., phone 2223.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

FOR SALE—14 good farm mules, 3 to 6 years old; 2 horses.—R. G. Ringgold. Phone 13-64, Pickering.

MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

FOR SALE—Early Ohio Seed Potatoes. Wm. Myers, Farmers 23-0-13.

FOR SALE—No. 15 DeLaval Cream Separator; first class condition.—E. M. Houchens, both phones, 816 North Walnut.

FOR SALE—Seed oats.—D. O'Grady, Farmers phone 6-13.

We have all that is necessary in making your garden. Seeds, rakes, hoes, spades, etc.

RICHARDS & SON
South Side Square

FOR SALE—Cobblers, Ohio, 6 week seed potatoes.—C. V. Phillips, Farmers 17-13.

USED

Oak office desk, iron safe, National cash register, incubators, child's beds, baby buggies.

CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

FEEDS, GRAINS 37-a

FOR SALE—Seed corn. Reids Yellow Dent and Golden Beauty seed corn for sale, $2.50 per bushel. Come and see it while it lasts. Guaranteed Strong Germination.—Will N. Wray, Guilford, Mo.

FOR SALE—About 1,300 bushels corn, tested 95 for seed.—Geo. W. Baker, Farmers 17-12.

FOR SALE—Loose alfalfa hay.—Call 5493 at noon.

FOR SALE—200 bushels extra good Iowa 103 seed oats, 50c per bushel.—George Neff, Farmers 34-19.

WANTED TO BUY 38

WANTED—Old false teeth. We pay high as $10 for full sets. Don't matter if broken. We buy crowns, bridges.—Western Metal Company, Bloomington, Illinois, Dept. U.

FOR SALE—Overstuffed living room suite, 4 rugs, brass bed, dresser, library table, sectional bookcase, etc.—301 E. 3rd St., Hanamo 3527.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—One modern dwelling, 2 apartments, strictly modern, and one rooming house, furnished.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house, has sewing room and reception hall. Desirable location.—Fred W. Smith, County Clerks office.

FOR SALE or Rent—3 modern and 2 partly modern houses; immediate possession.—Allen Brothers.

FOR RENT—Six-room modern house; West Side.—See A. J. Cox.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—2 upstairs rooms, furnished or unfurnished.—309 South Saunders, Hanamo 6618.

FOR RENT—Large modern rooms for sleeping.—303 West 3rd.

FOR RENT—4 modern rooms, 207 South Buchanan Street.—A. L. Nash, Hanamo 306.

FOR RENT—Rooms in modern home, furnished or unfurnished. With or without light housekeeping privilege. Close in.—Mrs. Fred Wallace, 209 West 7th Street.

FOR RENT—Modern rooms, suite or single, furnished or unfurnished; also small cottage; two garages. Some farm land and pasture, ½ mile north Teachers College.—Farmers 32-12.

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms furnished for light housekeeping at 716 East 1st Street; also garage.—Inquire this office.

FOR RENT—Large furnished room for sleeping.—209 West 4th.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FARMS AND LAND FOR SALE 46

10-ACRE TRACT.

Well improved 10-acre tract; well located, plenty of buildings, fruit, etc. Some terms.

C. D. ALLEN
119 East 4th Street.

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(1st insertion March 19; last April 5).

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

In compliance with section 11251, Revised Statutes of 1919, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of School District No. 97, County of Nodaway and state of Missouri, being the Maryville Public School District, that the annual school meeting of said school district will be held at the City hall, located in the basement of the Carnegie library building, Second and Buchanan streets, Maryville, Nodaway County, Missouri, on Tuesday the sixth day of April, 1926, commencing at seven o'clock A. M., and closing at six o'clock P. M., of that day, and among other things specified by law the following will be proposed and considered:

First, the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Second, A proposition to increase the rate of taxation, for the maintenance of school and school purposes, six mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the district, in addition to the four mills provided by law.

By order of the Board.

L. C. COOK, President.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Sec'y.

(1st insertion March 16; last March 23).

RESOLUTION NUMBER A 33.

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTHERWISE IMPROVING DAVIS STREET FROM NORTH LINE OF COOPER STREET TO 18 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF FIRST STREET.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri.

Davis Street from North line of Cooper Street to 18 feet North of the South line of First Street, including the street and Alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1091 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavating sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Said paving shall consist of seven inch Reinforced Concrete Paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforsaid improvements shall be constructed in strict accordance with the plans and profiles now on file in the office of the City Clerk under date of March 8th, 1926, and the specifications for concrete paving and curbing twenty feet wide now on file with the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

SECTION 3.

That the cost of said work to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

SECTION 4.

This Resolution shall be published for seven consecutive insertions in the Daily Democrat-Forum and Maryville Tribune, a daily newspaper published in said City.

Passed and approved this 15th day of March, 1926.

W. O. GARRETT,
Mayor.

Attest: MERLE C. SMITH,
City Clerk.

Yep, It's Him!

In case you don't recognize the ball player with the dimmers, we'll let you in on the secret. It's your old friend, Tyrus Cobb, manager of the Detroit Tygers. The photo was snapped at the Augusta (Ga.) training camp of the Detroit team just after Cobb had arrived from Baltimore where he underwent an operation for the removal of a growth from his left eye.

Buncetон—The Buncetон Eagle, a weekly newspaper, has been sold to D. E. Williams, publisher at Rock Port, Mo.

Kind Words.

Mrs. Emma Dowd

Davenport, Iowa.—"Very gladly do I pass on to others, the message of the merits of Dr. Pierce's remedies.

"I suffered a nervous breakdown. My appetite was poor and I became thin and weak. Finally, I was advised to take Dr. Pierce's medicines. The 'Favorite Prescription' relieved me of feminine weakness and the 'Golden Medical Discovery' improved my blood and gave a rosy tint to my cheeks, and since then I have never been without some of Dr. Pierce's medicines.

"When I think of the vast relief and the happiness brought to humanity thru the use of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines, my only thought is the highest praise for both remedies and manufacturer.

"These medicines are invaluable in every home and unsurpassed for the different ills for which they are prescribed."—Mrs. Emma Dowd, 1013 W. 2d St. All druggists.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial package of any of his medicines in tablet form, and write for free advice.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 3,500; market steady to 15c lower; top, $13.10; bulk $10 to $13.

Cattle

Receipts 2,300; market steady to 15c higher; bulk of steers $8.50 to $9.75.

Top, $13.25; cows and heifers $3.50 to $9.25.

Calves $6 to $13.

Stockers and feeders $6.50 to $9.10.

Sheep

Receipts 7,500; market steady.

Lambs $12 to $13.

Ewes $7.50 to $8.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

Cattle

Receipts 5,500; market lower.

Hogs

Receipts 15,000; market 10c to 25c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 1,000; market steady.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK

Cattle

Receipts 8,000; market steady to 15c lower.

Hogs

Receipts 10,500; market slow and steady.

Sheep

Receipts 12,000; market steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 18,000; market 10c lower.

Cattle

Receipts 14,000; market steady to strong.

Sheep.

Receipts 20,000; market steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market steady to 15c lower.

Bulk $11 to $12.75.

Heavies $10.75 to $11.50.

Butchers $11.75 to $13.

Lights $13 to $13.50.

Pigs $13.50 to $14.25.

Cattle

Receipts 8,500; market steady.

Prime fed steers $10.25 to $10.75.

Dressed beef steers $7.50 to $10.25.

Western steers $7.50 to $10.35.

Southern steers $6.75 to $9.50.

Cows $3.50 to $8.

Heifers $5.50 to $10.50.

Stockers and feeders $6.50 to $9.50.

Bulls $4.25 to $6.25.

Calves $5.50 to $11.00.

Sheep

Receipts 9,000; market steady.

Spring lambs $11.50 to $13.50.

Yearlings $9.65 to $11.

Ewes $7.50 to $8.50.

Wethers $8.50 to $9.50.

Stockers and feeders $12.25 to $13.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.59⅛.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 68c to 69c; No. 4 yellow, 63½c to 66½c; No. 3 mixed, 67c; No. 4 mixed, 62½c to 64c; No. 2 white, 70c; No. 3 white, 67½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 39c to 39½c; No. 3 white, 38½c to 39c.

lower. No. 2 red, 38c to 41c; No. 2 white, 40c to 41½c.

HAY—Timothy, $6.35 to $7; clover, $28 to $32.

Rye—No. 2, 83c.

BARLEY—52c to 72c.

Chicago Grain Table

	open	high	low	close
Old				
May	$1.53⅞	$1.56	$1.52⅜	$1.56
New				
May	$1.55	$1.57⅜	$1.53½	$1.57⅛
July	$1.34	$1.36¼	$1.33⅝	$1.36⅛
Sept.	$1.31¼	$1.32	$1.29½	$1.32
CORN—				
May	$ .71⅝	$ .72⅞	$ .71½	$ .72¾
July	$ .75	$ .76¼	$ .74¾	$ .76¼
Sept.	$ .77½	$ .78⅝	$ .76¾	$ .78⅜

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—25 cars.

Hard, 1c higher.

Red, unchanged to 1c lower.

No. 2 hard $1.53½ to $1.60.

No. 3 hard $1.52 to $1.58.

No. 2 red $1.62 to $1.63.

No. 3 red $1.59 to $1.62.

CORN—21 cars.

Market unchanged to 1c lower.

No. 2 mixed 64c to 65c.

No. 3 mixed 61c to 62½c.

No. 2 yellow 65½c to 66½c.

No. 2 white 65c to 66c.

OATS—13 cars; market ½c to 1c lower.

RYE—No. 2 74c to 75c.

HAY—Prairie, choice $12 to $13. Timothy, No. 1 $19 to $20. Alfalfa, choice $24.50 to $25.

Eggs, 25c; selected, 28c to 29c.

Butter, 43c; packing, 26c.

Hens 27c; turkeys and young toms, 34c; broilers, 50c; ducks, 27c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 23.—Grain prices closed higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

Wheat closed sharply higher in all deliveries. The market was decidedly unsettled throughout the session. Prices showed a 3 to 4 cent range. After opening fractionally higher, prices toned up as the session advanced in lieu of reports that the amount of available Argentine exports were 110 million bushels instead of 140 million bushels as previously estimated. Later, there was a slight slump but a rally set in which held until the close.

Corn closed fractionally higher. Despite the slight advances liquidation was rather heavy in this grain.

Oats also closed fractionally above Monday's final figures. Any gains made by this grain are credited more to advanced wheat and corn prices than to its own strength.

Provisions closed 5 to 7 cents lower than yesterday's closing level.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per doz.	22c
Cream, per lb.	36c
Heavy hens, per lb.	21c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c
Cocks, per lb.	10c
Ducks, per lb	15c

Sedalia—The Hotel Liberty and grounds have been sold to a real estate firm here for $50,000.

WOMAN COULD NOT SLEEP

Her Mother-in-Law Knew A Remedy

Mrs. Belle Thompson was in a very weak and run-down condition for four years. She had great difficulty in getting to sleep at night and even then did not sleep soundly. She would wake up again and again. Besides this her appetite was poor. "My mother-in-law told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash," she writes. "I took six bottles of the Vegetable Compound and I was not the same woman at all. I could sleep and would get up in the morning singing and feeling fine. I am the mother of three children and always after the babies came I had to take treatments, but I can truly say that this last time I have only used the Sanative Wash. It does me more good than the treatments. It keeps me on my feet to care for my children and I do most of my work. I feel it my duty to let you know how both of the medicines have helped me."—Mrs. Belle Thompson, R. 2, Rossville, Georgia.

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Night Coughing Relieved At Once

Why suffer continually from a persistent, weakening night cough when you can get almost instant relief, and usually break the cough completely in 24 hours by a new method based on the famous Dr. King's New Discovery?

Here is the method: You simply take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. It has a double action. It not only soothes and heals irritation, but also removes the phlegm and congestion which are the *real cause* of the coughing. As a result even the worst cough usually disappears quickly.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children, too—no harmful drugs. Very economical, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for

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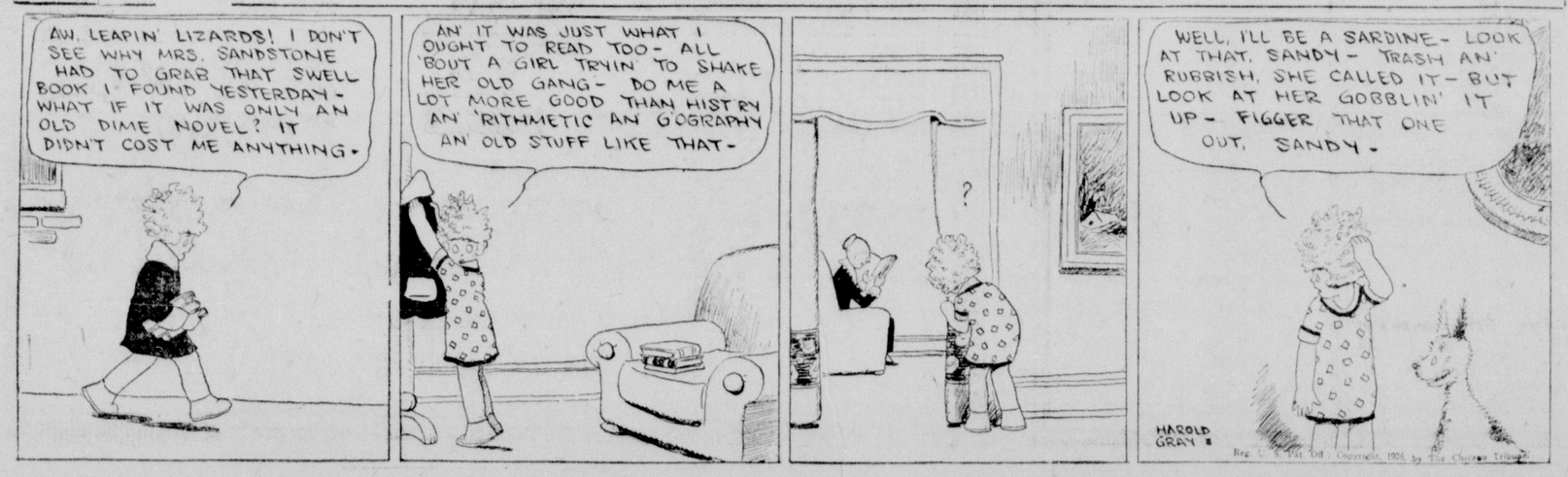
AW, LEAPIN' LIZARDS! I DON'T SEE WHY MRS. SANDSTONE HAD TO GRAB THAT SWELL BOOK I FOUND YESTERDAY - WHAT IF IT WAS ONLY AN OLD DIME NOVEL? IT DIDN'T COST ME ANYTHING -
AN' IT WAS JUST WHAT I OUGHT TO READ TOO - ALL 'BOUT A GIRL TRYIN' TO SHAKE HER OLD GANG - DO ME A LOT MORE GOOD THAN HISTRY AN' 'RITHMETIC AN' GOGRAPHY AN' OLD STUFF LIKE THAT -
?
WELL, I'LL BE A SARDINE - LOOK AT THAT, SANDY - TRASH AN' RUBBISH, SHE CALLED IT - BUT LOOK AT HER GOBBLIN' IT UP - FIGGER THAT ONE OUT, SANDY -
HAROLD GRAY
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EASTER RUSH IS UNDER WAY

NEW YORK'S FIFTH AVENUE HAS ITS THRONGS NOW.

STYLE HINTS GIVEN

Months Ago Experts Decreed What Women Would Wear—Skirts Are Longer This Season.

New York, March 23 (United Press)—With Easter less than two weeks away and spring already here, a last minute rush along Fifth Avenue to acquire the necessary decorations for the highway's annual parade of fashion has started.

Months ago the style experts decreed what women would wear. And now they're doing it. The short skirted, colorful costumes predicted, the ever-increasing popularity of the ensemble suit as forecast, the silhoutte frocks in which black and gray predominate as advanced by Paris—all, are coming true.

In the exclusive shops along Fifth Avenue, the windows are aflame with color, and with pastel shades the favorites. The more brilliant hues are used only in trimming.

Suits, which have lost some of their mannishness, and street dresses, are still short, although Paris fashion-designers have attempted to bring the long skirt back to popularity.

The tailored suit is coming back in all its glory and tuxedo coats, worn with waistcoats or waistcoat blouses are popular.

Among outer coats, capes have captured the market completely. They are of all lengths and width or without sleeves. The double cape is also a favorite.

Taffeta is the reigning material, being worn in street costumes, coats, evening gowns, negligees, wedding gowns, and evening underwear.

The stroller along Fifth Avenue sees more lace than in any recent season. The laces are highly ornate, sometimes having super-imposed colored flower designs or being edged with gold or silver.

As to shoes, well, the snake has come into his own. The prevailing color in shoes is beige and virtually every shop is showing as its choicest (and most expensive model) beige kids with trimmings of snakeskin, lizard, cobra, alligator or crocodile. These reptile skins are also popular for pocketbook trimmings.

Show Lessons in Love Making at the Electric

Lessons in love are furnished by four pretty women in Reginald Denny's latest Universal-Jewel feature, I'll Show You the Town," scheduled to show at the Electric Wednesday and Thursday.

Fan was affectionate. Hazel was petite. Agnes was wealthy. Lucille was passionate, and Alec Dupree, the pensive college professor, played by Reginald Denny, was, it may be said without exaggeration, a wee bit too ambitious. The net result being that he learned about women from her and her and her, in a series of highly thrilling experiences which are voched for by a press agent who is famed for his sterling honesty, as the laughingest list of exitable trifles ever flashed on the screen so far this year.

Plan Entertainment at Liberty Valley

Plans for an entertainment to be given Friday night at the Liberty Valley schoolhouse, near Skidmore, were discussed at last week's meeting of the Liberty Valley Home Makers Club, held at the school. The club will meet again tomorrow at the school. Roll call at this meeting will be answered by Irish jokes.

Last week's meeting was called to order by the president and opened by singing "There Is Sunshine in My Soul." The minutes were read by the secretary and approved, and Mrs. Marie Cottrell, Mrs. Birdie McGinness and Miss Edna Hughes drew birthday gifts. Roll call was answered with "Willie Willis Sayings" by the following members:

Mrs. Lulu Shull, Mrs. Lura Twaddell, Mrs. Ellen Lowrance, Mrs. Lillie Winger, Mrs. Viola Inman, Mrs. Dora Linville, Mrs. Gladys Lowrance, Mrs. Dona Clark, Mrs. Neva Stamper, Mrs. Marie Cottrell, Mrs. Nora Lowrance, Mrs. Birdie McGinness, and Misses Hattie Linville, Mary Hughes, Mabel Hughes and Edna Hughes. Visitors were Mrs. Tom Williams, Mrs. Alice Greybill, Daphine Shull, Phyllis Jean Twaddell, Virginia Rea McGinness and Charles Edward Lowrance.

The meeting was closed by repetition of the Lord's prayer, after which those who drew birthday gifts served homemade candy as a surprise.

Part of Lasher Club Program Overlooked

A report of Friday night's meeting of the Lasher Ninety and Nine Club, which appeared in Saturday's Democrat-Forum and Tribune, contained only a part of the program. It had been written on both sides of a sheet of paper and one side had been overlooked. The complete program was as follows:

Song—"Battle Hymn of the Republic," by all.

Musical selection—Don and Walter Williams.

Quartet—"I'll Take You Home, Kathleen," by Mrs. Will Job, Eva Honer, Homer Worl and Howard Masters.

Flute solo—Lola Bell Suetterlin.

Harp selections—Homer Worl, accompanied on piano by Mrs. Worl.

Piano solo—Harriett Miller.

Quartet—"Silver Threads Among the Gold."

Musical travelogue—Olatha and Lola Bell Suetterlin, Lucile Masters, May Busby, Glen McGinness, Cletus Busby and Don Williams, accompanied by Mildred Bailey.

Reading—Mary Busby.

Piano solo—George Cordell.

Musical selection—Walter and Don Williams, accompanied by Harriett Miller.

After the program, refreshments of pie, sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served. A large crowd attended.

Miss Hazel Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. William West, jr., of Ravenwood spent today in Maryville.

Grimmit Administrator Named

Harley E. Nigh of Parnell was appointed in Probate Court today as administrator of the estate of Jordan C. Grimmit, Pickering, who died March 16.

Monett—A committe of men and women has been appointed to make arrangements for establishing a library in Monett.

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